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**Re:** Application Serial No. 09/892,773 Amendment

**MESSAGE:**

Attached are the following documents for the above referenced application:

1. Transmittal Letter
2. Amendment in response to Office Action dated 8/6/03

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Docket No.: 57454-160

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In re Application of

: Customer Number: 20277

Shohei MORIWAKI, et al.

: Confirmation Number: 3426

Serial No.: 09/892,773

: Group Art Unit: 2671

Filed: June 28, 2001

: Examiner: Sealey, Lance W.

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DRAWING THREE DIMENSIONAL GRAPHICS BY  
CONTROLLING ALPHA VALVE BASED ON Z COORDINATE VALVE

Mail Stop Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☐ Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	17	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	7	3	4	\$86.00 =	\$344.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$344.00

- ☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$344.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 6, 2003, reconsideration in light of  
the following remarks and amendments is respectfully solicited.

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